UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

STATISTICA CAPITAL LTD. and STATISTICA LTD., on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated and the general public,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

FDIC as RECEIVER for SIGNATURE BANK, et. al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 23 Civ. 993 (ALC)

AFFIDAVIT OF JUSTIN J.
KONTUL IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION TO ADMIT COUNSEL
PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I hereby declare as follows:

- 1. I am a partner with the law firm of Reed Smith LLP.
- 2. I submit this affidavit in support of my motion for admission to practice *pro hac* vice in the above captioned matter.
- 3. As shown in the Certificate of Good Standing annexed hereto I am a member in good standing of the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
- 4. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against me in any state or federal court.
- 5. I have not been convicted of a felony, censured, suspended, disbarred, denied admission or readmission by any court.
- 6. Wherefore your affiant respectfully submits that he be permitted to appear as counsel and advocate *pro hac vice* in this one case for defendant Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation in its capacity as the Receiver for Signature Bank.

Dated: December 1, 2023 Pittsburgh, PA	Respectfully submitted, Justin J. Kontul
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA)
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COUNTY OF Allegheny)
Sworn and signed before me, the Lecember, 2023.	undersigned officer, on this the 11th day of
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set	my hand and official seal.
	Vellie E. Steinmeyer
	Notary Public Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal Debbie E Steinmeyer, Notary Public Allegheny County My commission expires November 8, 2025 Commission number 1160015 Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries



Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

Justin John Kontul, Esq.

DATE OF ADMISSION

November 2, 2007

The above named attorney was duly admitted to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is now a qualified member in good standing.



Witness my hand and official seal Dated: November 21, 2023

Nicole Traini Chief Clerk

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